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In response to the Final Office Action dated December 27, 2005, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on March 27, 2006, please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. While no fees are believed due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782 / INFN/WB0072 / GGM for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

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